



University Elementary
Monday Minute - October 19, 2020

1. Report Cards - Oct. 23rd
2. Socially Distanced Walkers
3. Extra Mask for School
4. Indiana Weather... It Changes!
5. Dine and Donate Oct. 19-21st
6. PTO Meeting Tuesday
7. Follow UES and our PTO on Social Media!

1. Report Cards will come home with your child. Online learners' report cards will be mailed out using the postal service.
2. Our arrival/dismissal is going really well - thank you! Walkers, please remember to use the crossing guard (he is there for your safety) and also remember to keep your distance when waiting in line while wearing your masks.
3. I've been reminding everyone about the importance of washing masks each night so your children will have a clean one. As we move into colder weather (like today), I want to invite everyone to send a second mask to school with your children each day. The cold weather outside, paired with a little moisture in the air, creates the perfect environment for the hot air that your children exhale to create condensation inside their masks. Coming in from recess, it may be nice for your children to have the opportunity to put on a dry mask. If you need assistance in getting a second mask for your children, please let us know. The masks do dry, but it can be a bit of an inconvenience for some - especially those with sensory concerns.
4. This is one of my favorite times of year with students that are new to Indiana as I get to talk with them about "Indiana weather" and how it can change..... daily. This week, we are looking at 57, 63, 73, and 81 degrees before it drops back to 57 degrees. Today, I told a student about how it snowed on October 31st last year but it was 65 degrees on December 25th! I share this information to



encourage everyone to have their children “layer” for school. We can always take a jacket or hat off if it gets warm, but if these are not available to start with, it could be a cold recess! Make sure to remind your children to bring home whatever they bring to school. We are not going to have a Lost and Found like we have in the past where things are allowed to pile up.

5. Azzip Pizza is hosting a dine and donate opportunity from October 19th-21st where we can get 4x the credit! Check out the separate email that was sent out earlier this evening (Monday) for additional information.
6. Our October PTO Meeting will take place tomorrow evening (Tuesday) beginning at 6:00 PM with a Meet and Greet at 5:30 PM. Please access the Zoom link to the meeting via the email that was sent earlier today (Monday).
7. Be sure to follow University School and the University School PTO on social media using the links below.



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